

STOCKS

The following are the closing stock quotations, and the record of the day's sales, as received from the San Francisco stock exchange this afternoon by Broker H. E. Epstein:

Silver	75 1/2
Copper	30 1/2-32 1/2
Lead	\$7.50-7.62 1/2

TONOPAH

	Bid	Ask
Belmont	\$4.50	
Cash Boy	.06	.07
Great Western	.06	.07
Clipsy Queen	.06	.07
Halifax	.48	
Jim Butler	.85	.88
MacNamara	.06	.07
Midway	.21	.22
Misph Extension	.13	.15
Monarch Pittsburg	.12	.13
Montana	.18	.21
North Star	.13	.14
Rescue-Eula	.25	.26
Tonopah Extension	4.25	4.30
Tonopah Mining	5.50	
Umatilla	.01	.02
West End	.66	.68
West Tonopah	.13	.15

GOLDFIELD

Atlanta	.09	.10
Blue Bull	.02	.03
Booth	.10	.11
C. O. D.	.02	.03
Combination Fraction	.05	.06
Cracker Jack	.06	.07
Black Butte	.04	.05
Florence	.21	.22
Goldfield Consolidated	.72	.73
Merger Mines	.06	.07
Grandma	.05	.06
Great Bend	.07	.08
Kewanna	.18	.19
Jumbo Extension	.26	.28
Simmerone	.01	.02
Sandstorm	.05	.06
Silver Pick	.24	.25
Spearhead	.05	.07
Yellow Tiger	.01	
Jumbo Jr.	.07	.09

MANHATTAN

Manhattan Consolidated	.01	.02
White Caps	.35	.36

MISCELLANEOUS

Neazel	.12	.13
Nevada Packard	.41	.44
Rochester Merger	.35	
Rochester Mines	.64	.66
Round Mountain	.38	
United Western	.02	.04
Big Jim	1.25	1.37 1/2

TONOPAH

Morning Sales	
Tonopah Extension—100,	\$4.05.
Cash Boy—1000, 07;	2000, 07.
MacNamara—2000,	07.

GOLDFIELD

Morning Sales	
Goldfield Consolidated—400, 72;	100, 72.
Jumbo Extension—1000,	26.
Combination Fraction—500,	05.
Florence—100,	22.
Cracker Jack—2000, 06;	4000, 06.
Merger Mines—4000, 06;	3000, 06.
Silver Pick—500, 25;	2000, 24.
Kewanna—1000,	19.
Black Butte—2000, 05,	
Spearhead—3500, 08;	1000, 06; 500, 06.
Grandma—500,	05.

MISCELLANEOUS

Morning Sales	
Rochester Mines—100,	65.

Afternoon Sales

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Tonopah Extension—100,	\$4.20.
Atlanta—1000,	10.
Cracker Jack—1000,	07.
Merger Mines—2000,	06.
Silver Pick—2000,	25.
Spearhead—4000,	06; 1000, 06.
Simmerone—1000,	02.

WARNING TO ROOMING HOUSE
KEEPERS ISSUED BY POLICE

Jack Grant, the new constable and chief of police, signaled his debut by warning all keepers of rooming houses that a gang of suspects is here for the alleged purpose of working the town. Citizens are cautioned against buying any articles of clothing or jewelry offered for sale and they are requested when accosted for this purpose by strangers to hold them in conversation while a message is sent to the police station, where an officer will be constantly in attendance.

NOTICE

All children who are now six years of age or who will be six before April 1, may enter school now. Children who have been coming for half-day sessions will now come all day. Beginners must enter during this week or next week or wait until September, as no new classes will be started after next week. Parents will remember that the doors are not open in the morning until 8:45 nor in the afternoon until 1.

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Adv. J2-12

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BLOW THE SAFE
AND GET AWAY

YEGGMEN ESCAPE WITH BANK
ROLL OF A RAILROAD
COMPANY

(By Associated Press.)
SACRAMENTO, Jan. 2.—Cracksmen blew the safe of the Oakland, Antioch & Eastern railway station office and escaped with \$1300. The robbery was not discovered until this morning when the office opened.

THREE FIRES DUE
TO COLD WEATHER

MIDNIGHT ALARM FROM JIM
BUTLER CAUSE OF SOME
EXCITEMENT

The cold weather continues to be the ascribed cause for fires, none of which has assumed disastrous proportions. A fire occurred yesterday morning at 8:45 in the home of Wm. Mitchell, secretary of the Western Federation of Miners, who resides near the foundry. An overheated stove was the cause. Considerable damage was done before the blaze was controlled.

At 12:10 this morning a hoarse whistle called the firemen to the Wandering Boy shaft of the Jim Butler to quell a small blaze at that property which started in mysterious fashion in the crib work. The damage was slight.

The Wandering Boy's sister plant, the Desert Queen of the Jim Butler, shrilled out an alarm this morning at 7:55. The fire was in one of three cabins owned by Miss Felice Cohn of Carson City on Valley View avenue. The place had not been rented for some time, but it is thought that some one had surreptitiously occupied the premises during the night, as the back door was found unlocked, with a pass key in the lock. The cabin was gutted before the fire could be put out.

TONOPAH COUPLE MARRIED
ON SUNDAY AT OAKLAND

The wedding of Miss Alice Lake of Oakland and Charles W. Bowman of Tonopah took place last Sunday at the residence of the bride's father, Frederick W. Lake, Linden street, Oakland. Only a few intimate friends of the couple were present. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Irving Spencer of St. John's Episcopal church. The couple left for southern California to spend their honeymoon and will come to Tonopah about the middle of January. Miss Lake is a graduate of Miss Horton's school at Piedmont and was one of the most popular girls of the younger set.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON
DEFEATS THE PENNSIES

(By Associated Press.)
PASADENA, Cal., Jan. 2.—The University of Oregon defeated the University of Pennsylvania here yesterday by a score of 14 to 0. Oregon scored one touchdown in the third period and another in the fourth.

Dance Wednesday night, Airdome.
Adv. J2-12

LONDON, Jan. 2.—The marriage of Lord Curzon, member of the British war council, to Mrs. Grace Elvina Duggan, occurred privately today. He was a widower.

FRESH TO THE TABLE

A feature of the Tonopah grill when it reopens will be that the management has its own gardens, both open and hot house, and all vegetables will be as crisp and fresh. Note the ad in tomorrow's Bonanza.

Take home a quart bottle of delicious old port. 40 cents at the Tonopah Liquor company. Adv. J2-12

ENORMOUS DIVIDENDS
PAID FROM THE MINES

Ten mines in Arizona paid \$34,000,000 in dividends during the past year. Adding Utah, Montana, Nevada and Idaho dividends to those of Arizona we have a total of over \$100,000,000 in dividends paid out of the mines of these five states in a single year.

These are some of the impressive facts brought out by the report of the geological survey to Secretary Lane, just made. "Never before," said Mr. Lane, "has so large a draft been made on the natural resources of our country as during this year, and never before have the metals been extracted from these ores with less waste or utilized to better advantage in advancing the general prosperity of the country. Even as written in the plain figures of 1916 production the wonderful record of our mines sets forth a degree of national industrial independence only hoped for a few years ago."

"Again copper stands out as the best illustration of how American mines can meet a world demand. The output of nearly 2 billion pounds of the red metal is double that of ten years ago, and its value is twice that of the copper produced in 1915. Add to this the facts that in value copper now contends with iron for first place among the metals and that together the amount of these two metals produced last year had a value of more than \$1,000,000,000 and we have a measure of what this country can contribute in useful metals."

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RECEIVER APPOINTED
FOR MINING CONCERN

COURT AT ELY PROVIDES FOR
CONTINUANCE OF WORK TO
PROTECT STOCK

Judge C. J. McFadden, in the Ely district court, granted the application made for a receiver for the Hamilton Power, Mining and Transportation company, and named D. B. Bailey receiver.

The application was made by William Harwood, C. E. Harwood, William Phillips and Charles Farr, who allege that they are stockholders of the corporation and jointly own 10,025 shares of the stock.

The company is involved in litigation, and while it claims to own a one-half interest in certain mining claims near Hamilton, Nev., the title to the ground is now in dispute. Judge McFadden directed that only such work be done as necessary to preserve the interests of the stockholders, and no more until such time as other suits affecting the rights of the different parties in the ground could be submitted to the court and determined.

THREE NEW FACES
IN THE COURTHOUSE

Harry Atkinson and Larry Glass, county clerk, in filing their bonds have the distinction of reading "from the first day of January." These bonds were approved and also the chief of police with his bonds for self and deputies.

The new sheriff and assessor, W. H. Thomas, filed bonds reading from the fifth day of January and these will not be approved until that date. Likewise the auditor and recorder and the county treasurer will remain simply as officers elect until the fifth of this month.

At the meeting of the new board of county commissioners, Richard B. Davis, the senior member of the board, was elected chairman and D. C. Ryckman was appointed janitor of the courthouse and ex-officio jailor. Mr. Ryckman is well known, having been here for many years engaged in the transfer business and recently operating a jitney between town and the lower mines in the western end of the district.

GRIPPLED BOAT
FOUND IN STORM

SCHOONER WITH ELEVEN PAS-
SENGERS PICKED UP BY
STEAMER

(By Associated Press.)
MARSHFIELD, Ore., Jan. 2.—No word has been received of the lumber schooner Klamath which was reported by wireless had lost a propeller and was driving helplessly before a northwest gale off Cape Arago.

(By Associated Press.)
PORTLAND, Jan. 2.—The steamer Cecilia got a line aboard the Klamath and is holding her in tow pending arrival of the tug Wallula from Astoria, which will tow the schooner to Portland. The Klamath has 11 passengers and 33 in her crew.

BRITISH GOVERNMENT
SEIZES COPPER STOCK

(By Associated Press.)
LONDON, Jan. 2.—All supplies of unwrought copper have been requisitioned by the government.

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IMPORTANT RULING
IN A WILL CASE

MRS. W. W. WILLIAMS NOT RE-
QUIRED TO PAY INHERITANCE
TAX ON HER PROPERTY

A case of more than usual importance both locally as well as for the entire state of Nevada has been decided by the supreme court of Nevada. It is the case wherein the state of Nevada sued the estate of Warren Williams, deceased, to compel the payment of inheritance tax on the widow's share of the property.

The lower court held that the widow should pay the inheritance tax, but the supreme court reverses the lower court, holding that the widow shall not be required to pay inheritance tax on her half of the community property. The court decided that the property goes to her, not by succession or inheritance, but by a right vested in her at all times during marriage. It therefore follows that it is not subject to the law of inheritance tax.

This is a pioneer case in Nevada and forever settles the question, in that a wife shall not be required to pay inheritance tax on her half of the community property.—Fallon Eagle.

CARD OF THANKS

We most sincerely thank Father Diss of Tonopah, Father Dermody of Goldfield and all the K. of C., Elks and L. O. O. M., and many friends of Tonopah and Goldfield for their kindness and sincere sympathy for us in this, our hour of sorrow and grief, in the loss of our dear daughter, sister, wife and mother, Mrs. Annie Mangan White.

J. J. Mangan, father.
Mrs. J. J. Mangan, mother.
Miss Josie Mangan, sister.
Joe F. White, husband.
Miss Marjorie White, daughter.

Adv. J2

MAIL CAR ROBBED

A sealed car filled with Christmas mail was robbed Friday night somewhere between Caliente, Nevada, and Salt Lake. It is thought that about \$100 worth of mail was taken.

UNDECIDED OVER
THE NEXT COURSE

DISCUSSION OF THE PEACE NOTE
POSTPONED BY THE
SENATE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Senator Hitchcock's resolution to have the senate endorse the president's peace note was discussed today and action postponed until tomorrow by unanimous consent. It became known today that the president has not decided on the next step towards peace, although he has not given up hope that beneficial results will come from present negotiations.

TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT
BY THE DISTRICT COURT

The report of the divorce proceedings of Barrett vs. Barrett mentioned in the Bonanza should have stated that the cross bill was filed by Harry Barrett instead of Mrs. Barrett. The husband has worked at the Belmont mill for he has seven years and enjoys an excellent reputation for sobriety and steadiness.

Dance Wednesday night, Airdome.
Adv. J2-12

PERSONAL

L. B. and JAMES STEVENS are here from Cloverdale.

P. D. BURKE and wife of Ely are spending the day in this city.

MRS. W. H. BLACKBURN left yesterday on a visit to Denver.

ADOLPH CAHN left Sunday for Sacramento on a health seeking trip. JOHN G. KIRCHEN returned yesterday morning from a trip to the coast.

IVAN JEFFRIES has been appointed secretary to the Nevada Industrial commission.

W. D. KNIGHT, deputy United States marshal, was a passenger on yesterday's northbound train.

W. A. RAY, the county surveyor-elect, is in from Grantsville, where he is engaged in milling operations.

FRED AMIGO of Goldfield was in Tonopah yesterday on his way home from Mina, where he is interested in mining properties.

MISS CATHERINE SWARTZ, after spending the vacation with her family, returned to Ely, where she is engaged as teacher.

MISS DELIA GILBERT, who has been here visiting her parents for the holidays, returned to Beatty this morning to resume her classes.

FRANK P. KERNS left for San Francisco Sunday morning, called by the death of his mother, Mary Kerns. He was accompanied by his daughter, Zita.

J. WESLEY STEWART returned Sunday morning from a visit to San Francisco. Mrs. Stewart will remain on the coast until after the cold weather.

TONY FARRELL, who has been here visiting his mother during the holidays, returned to Aurora this morning. He is employed in the Wingfield mill.

CLINTON D. STURGES, a very competent and experienced printer, arrived yesterday from Sacramento to assume the foremanship of the Bonanza office.

MISS EDNA SULLIVAN, teacher in the grade school, who went to Winnemucca to spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Joe Scott, returned with her hostess.

MISSES TAYLOR and SLAVIN, after spending the holidays with their relatives at Silver City and Carson City, returned yesterday morning to resume their duties in the public school.

CARL STEVENS, former auditor of the West End Mining company, who is now in charge of the S. H. Brady mining interests in Reno and who spent the holidays here, returned to Reno yesterday morning.

C. T. LAWRENCE, justice of the peace of Manhattan township, came up from San Francisco this morning and continued on to the pine tree camp. Mrs. Lawrence will remain for some time on the coast.

R. H. BURDICK of the Wittenberg Warehouse Co., who has been a patient at the St. Helena sanitarium for the past ten days, will be operated on Friday for appendicitis. Mrs. Burdick left this morning for the bedside of the patient.

CHARLES D. LAING, president of the Rescue-Eula Mining company, spent yesterday in this city and was conducted through the property by Superintendent Moore. He says that a strong treasury is being built up and that the physical condition of the property never was better.

TYPOS HOLD REUNION
AT BANQUET TABLE

Goldfield union, No. 105, was the guest of Tonopah, No. 615, International Typographical union, at a banquet in the Rathskeller Saturday night. In reality, it was Sunday morning, for it was after midnight when the printers, pressmen and reporters were seated. Covers were laid for W. H. Fording, L. G. Beach, W. H. Ayres, F. F. Garside, M. B. Nelson, Howard N. Riddle, George E. Whitaker, Samuel S. Erret, Frank Hertz, Harry Moon, W. F. Richardson, W. B. Evans, Vall Pittman, P. C. Flader, J. W. Connors, A. E. Harden, Thomas Mackey, Thomas Highland and W. M. Gotwaldt.

Mr. Gotwaldt officiated as toastmaster and Chief Evans occupied the opposite end of the table to preserve decorum. The chief made the address of the evening, taking fraternity as his theme. All the boys responded gamely and eloquently when their names were called.

A BUSINESS CHANGE

G. E. McKenna, who conducted the Pioneer dairy in this city for the past four years, has sold the business to Joe and Louis Serventi, who took possession yesterday. Mr. McKenna will retain his Goldfield dairy and his range cattle interests.

BULLION SHIPMENT

The Tonopah Mining company forwarded recently 48 bars of bullion, valued at \$20,000.

AMUSEMENTS

BUTLER THEATER

The feature at the Butler this evening is Myrtle Stedman, celebrated film and stage star, in "The American Beauty," a photoplay of extraordinary power and delightful surprises. In the panic created by the burning of an ocean liner at sea, the Ellsworths become separated from their infant daughter. The babe is rescued and grows to beautiful womanhood as Ruth Cleve, a fisherman's daughter. Keith, an American artist, is seeking the ideally beautiful woman, whose soul will inspire him to a great picture. After several disappointments he discovers Ruth Cleve in a most unexpected way. In this production, which is beautiful throughout, there is one scene posed in the nude that will pass with universal approval. The preliminary reel is Burton Holmes travel pictures, "In Classic Greece." Tomorrow, a special release, "The Cossack Whip," a drama of Russian life, featuring Broadway's biggest little star, Viola Dana.

BIRTH OF A NATION

Ghostly white, more sure footed than death itself—flesh and blood ghosts of the moonlight night in a war-torn southland—the avenging Ku Klux Klan swoops down upon the negro and grabs him up as a hawk hawk its prey, whirling him away God knows where, to a fate from which there is no escaping—this is one of the actual sights shown in Griffith's "Birth of a Nation."

In these scenes, Thomas Dixon's "The Clansman" is revived with telling reality; practically all the remainder of the startling living panorama is D. W. Griffith's own creation. Those readers of "The Clansman" will easily note Griffith's wonderful improvement over the original when "The Birth of a Nation" appears at the A. & B. theater tonight, tomorrow afternoon and tomorrow evening.

SANTA CLAUS APPEARS
TO BELMONT BABIES

Belmont was a scene of much festivity during the past week.

On Xmas eve every person in town assembled in the courtroom of the old courthouse to enjoy a very pleasing program and a splendid Xmas tree which held gifts for everyone.

The program was given by the children of the town under the direction of Miss Mary Townsend and every number was well applauded. A very delightful feature of the evening was some folk dances given by four girls in costume.

Santa was present to deliver the numerous gifts amid the delightful "Ohs" and "Ahs" of the children and everyone pronounced the evening a great success.

On the following afternoon a delicious dinner was served at the boarding house for all the company men and ladies, after which a reception was held, with Superintendent Hughes acting as host.

The room was artistically decorated in Xmas colors and dainty refreshments for the enjoyment of the guests were scattered about on tables. Dancing followed.

NINETY YEAR-OLD MAN
TAKES BRIDE OF 55

(By Associated Press.)
LOS ANGELES, Jan. 2.—Charles R. Post, aged 91, father of C. W. Post, the Battle Creek manufacturer, married Mrs. Nellie J. Moore, aged 55, New Year's day.

RECOVERED FROM PNEUMONIA

R. H. Shipley, who was suffering from a severe attack of pneumonia, has recovered so far that his wife, Dr. H. Rulison-Shipley, has been advised that it will not be necessary to remove the patient to a lower altitude. Mr. Shipley is convalescent and will soon be around.

BUSINESS CHANGE

James C. McKay has purchased from N. C. Ableman a half-interest in the Tonopah Club, which the latter, in partnership with Charles Taylor, re-established, and for nearly a year past has been sole owner. Mr. McKay has been a resident of Tonopah for several years past. He has a family and property interests here.

A Philadelphian is the inventor of a receptacle that can be attached to a cigar to catch and retain all of its ashes until it has been smoked.

CLASSIFIED

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FOR SALE—Oak dresser; 2 three-quarter hair mattresses; 1 single hair mattress; oak chairs; three-quarter iron bed; a bargain. Call quick. Call Tonopah Mining Co., house No. 7, Misph hill. J2-24

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